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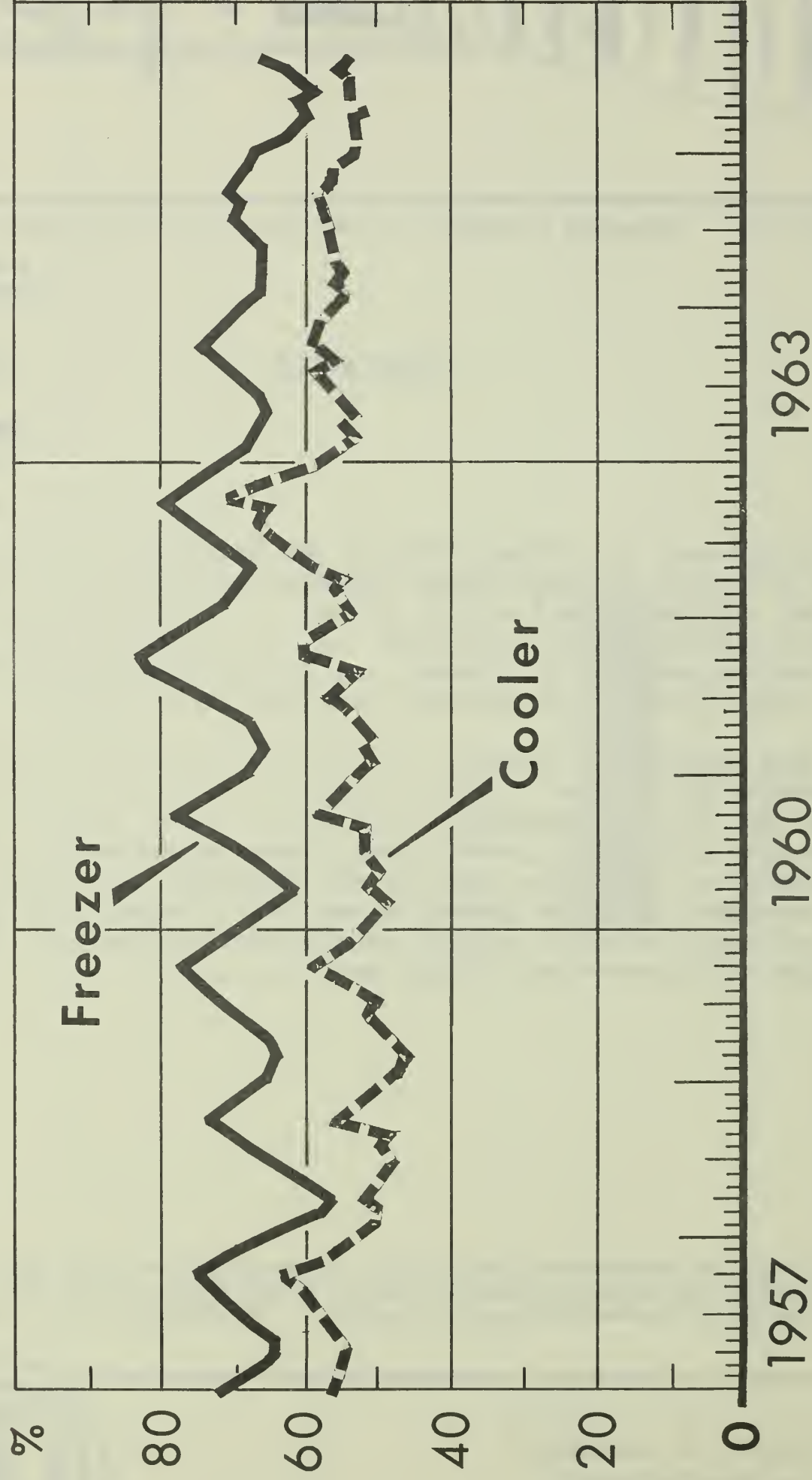
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[Data for this report are collected from public, private, and semiprivate warehouses, apple houses, and meat-packing plants where food products are generally stored for 30 days or more. Commodities in space owned or leased and operated by the armed services are not reported. All September 30, data are preliminary.]

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PERCENTAGE OCCUPANCY OF PUBLIC COLD-STORAGE WAREHOUSES



END OF MONTH OCCUPANCY.

Commodity Summary

October 1 stocks in refrigerated warehouses were 6.3 billion pounds, up 1.2 billion from September 1, according to the Crop Reporting Board. Cooler-held items totaled 2.6 billion and freezer-held stocks were 3.7 billion pounds. Cooler stocks were 4 percent larger than on October 1, 1964 and 18 percent larger than the October 1, 1959-63 average. Stocks in freezer rooms were down 1 percent from a year earlier but 3 percent above average for the date.

October 1 use of public cooler space was 54 percent of capacity, down 2 points from a month earlier but freezer occupancy at 66 percent was up 3 points. Supplies of apples in storage moved up to 22 million bushels on October 1. Holdings were 5 million bushels more than a year earlier and 8 million more than average. The 5 million boxes of pears stored on October 1 were almost 3 million under the stocks of last year and 1 million boxes short of the average.

The September gain in poultry holdings was 98 million pounds and 88 million were frozen turkeys. Stocks of poultry moved up to 335 million pounds compared with 366 million on October 1, 1964. Turkey stocks of 233 million pounds were the same as a year earlier but 8 percent larger than average.

A sharp increase in frozen vegetable stocks brought warehouse holdings to 1,281 million pounds, 164 million more than on September 1. Gains were principally french fries, corn, and lima beans.

Frozen fruit stored on October 1 were 570 million pounds compared with 621 million a year earlier. The September gain of 8 million pounds was about one-fifth as large as last year and a little more than half the average gain for the month.

Orange concentrate stocks declined 8 million gallons to 37 million. Supplies were 12 million more than on October 1, 1964 and 4 million more than average.

Butter holdings were 160 million pounds after a September decline of 33 million. American cheese stocks dropped 26 million to 338 million pounds. Supplies of both butter and American cheese were below average for this time of year.

Shell egg holdings were 325 thousand cases compared with 132 thousand at this time last year. Frozen egg stocks dropped 6 million pounds for the month to 94 million but last year a 10 million pound reduction left 98 million pounds in storage on October 1.

Holdings of meat were 404 million pounds, 128 million below last year and 11 million less than average. Beef supplies increased 17 million pounds to 195 million on October 1 but a 9 million pound reduction in pork left 126 million pounds in storage. Other meats were down 3 million to 83 million pounds. The 5-million pound net gain in meat stocks is in contrast to the 88-million pound reduction during September 1964 and the average September decline of 26 million pounds.

Cooler and Freezer Stock Changes

Warehouse stocks in cooler rooms were up sharply as fresh apples moved into storage. A 1.1 billion-pound gain raised product weight to 2.6 billion pounds, 4 percent more than on October 1, 1964 and 18 percent more than average. In addition to the gains in fresh fruits, stocks of fresh vegetables, canned milk, beef and pork also increased during September but holdings of dried and evaporated fruits, nuts, cheese, eggs, and canned meats declined.

Freezer-held products moved up 113 million pounds to 3.7 billion. Advances in stocks of poultry, fruits, vegetables, beef, lamb and mutton offset declines of other frozen items. Total freezer weight on October 1 was slightly under a year earlier but 3 percent above average.

Space Occupancy in Public Warehouses

Occupancy of freezer space increased 3 points while cooler occupancy decreased

2 points during September. October 1 freezer occupancy at 66 percent was 3 points less than a year ago and 10 points less than average. All regions were down from the average and only the East North Central and South Atlantic showed an increase over a year earlier. Cooler occupancy was 54 percent compared with 57 percent a year earlier and the average of 56 percent.

Dairy Products

Butter holdings at 160 million pounds on October 1 were down 33 million pounds from a month earlier. Holdings were 12 percent less than October 1 a year ago and one-third less than average. Government-owned butter accounted for 114 million pounds of the October 1 total. American cheese stocks at 338 million pounds were 6 percent more than a year earlier but 11 percent below average.

Poultry and Poultry Products

Frozen poultry stocks on October 1 were 335 million pounds, 98 million pounds more than a month earlier. This compares with holdings of 366 million pounds on October 1 a year ago and 336 million pounds, the average. Turkey holdings were 233 million pounds, the same as a year earlier but 18 million pounds more than average. Broiler stocks at 22 million pounds were 1 million pounds less than on October 1, 1964 and 2 million pounds less than average.

Stocks of frozen eggs decreased 6 million pounds during September and on October 1 totaled 94 million pounds. This compares with 98 million pounds on hand a year earlier and the average of 117 million pounds. Holdings of shell eggs declined to 325 thousand cases on October 1. Holdings a year ago were 132 thousand and the average is 329 thousand cases.

Vegetables, Juices, and Fruits

October 1 holdings of frozen vegetables were 1,281 million pounds, up 164 million from a month earlier. At this time last year, 1,214 million pounds were in storage after a 128 million pound gain. Average October 1 supplies are 1,131 million pounds and the average September gain is 128 million pounds. Sharp gains in stocks of corn, lima beans, and french fries helped to place the October 1 frozen vegetable total near the record 1,282 million pounds on October 1, 1961.

Holdings of frozen orange concentrate were 37 million gallons on October 1, down 8 million from a month earlier. Supplies were 50 percent larger than a year earlier and 13 percent larger than average.

Frozen fruit holdings totaled 570 million pounds after an 8 million pound increase during September. October 1 holdings were 8 percent below a year ago but 4 percent above average. The September increase was principally in stocks of peaches, grapes, blackberries, and blueberries.

Meat and Meat Products

Warehouse stocks of meat increased 5 million pounds during September and on October 1 totaled 404 million pounds. An increase of 17 million pounds in beef and slight increases in cooler pork, lamb and mutton more than offset decreases in frozen pork, veal, and canned meats. Holdings of beef at 195 million pounds were 24 percent less than October 1, 1964 but 12 percent more than average. Total pork at 126 million pounds was 58 million pounds less than a year earlier and 34 million pounds less than average.

Table 1. --Net change in storage holdings during September 1/

Cooler commodities	Holdings September 30, 1965	September net change		Freezer commodities	Holdings September 30, 1965	September net change	
		Quantity	Pct.			Quantity	Pct.
	1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Pct.		1,000 lb.	1,000 lb.	Pct.
Apples	1,078,320	1,060,512	100	Cream	10,005	- 2,338	19
Pears	251,120	80,670	47	Butter, creamery .	159,733	- 32,720	17
Other fresh fruits .	124,040	34,629	39	Eggs	94,248	- 5,997	6
Fresh vegetables . .	21,472	7,801	57	Poultry	334,667	98,126	41
Dried & evap. fts. .	36,892	- 4,165	10	Fruits	570,124	7,977	1
Nutmeats	145,611	- 27,559	16	Juices	505,642	-117,026	19
Nuts in shell . . .	70,857	- 22,514	24	Vegetables	1,280,653	164,475	15
Cheese	385,780	- 29,172	7	Beef	180,015	16,138	10
Other dairy prod. .	17,798	460	3	Pork	99,187	- 10,302	9
Shell eggs	15,210	- 4,586	23	Other meats	18,016	309	2
Beef	15,465	753	5	Miscellaneous . . .	455,677	- 5,209	1
Pork	26,703	1,440	6				
Canned meats . . .	64,558	- 2,971	4				
Miscellaneous . . .	372,878	- 7,448	2				
Total	2,626,704	1,087,850	71	Total	3,707,967	113,433	3

1/ For a detailed breakdown see the tables that follow.

NET WEIGHT OF REFRIGERATED COMMODITIES

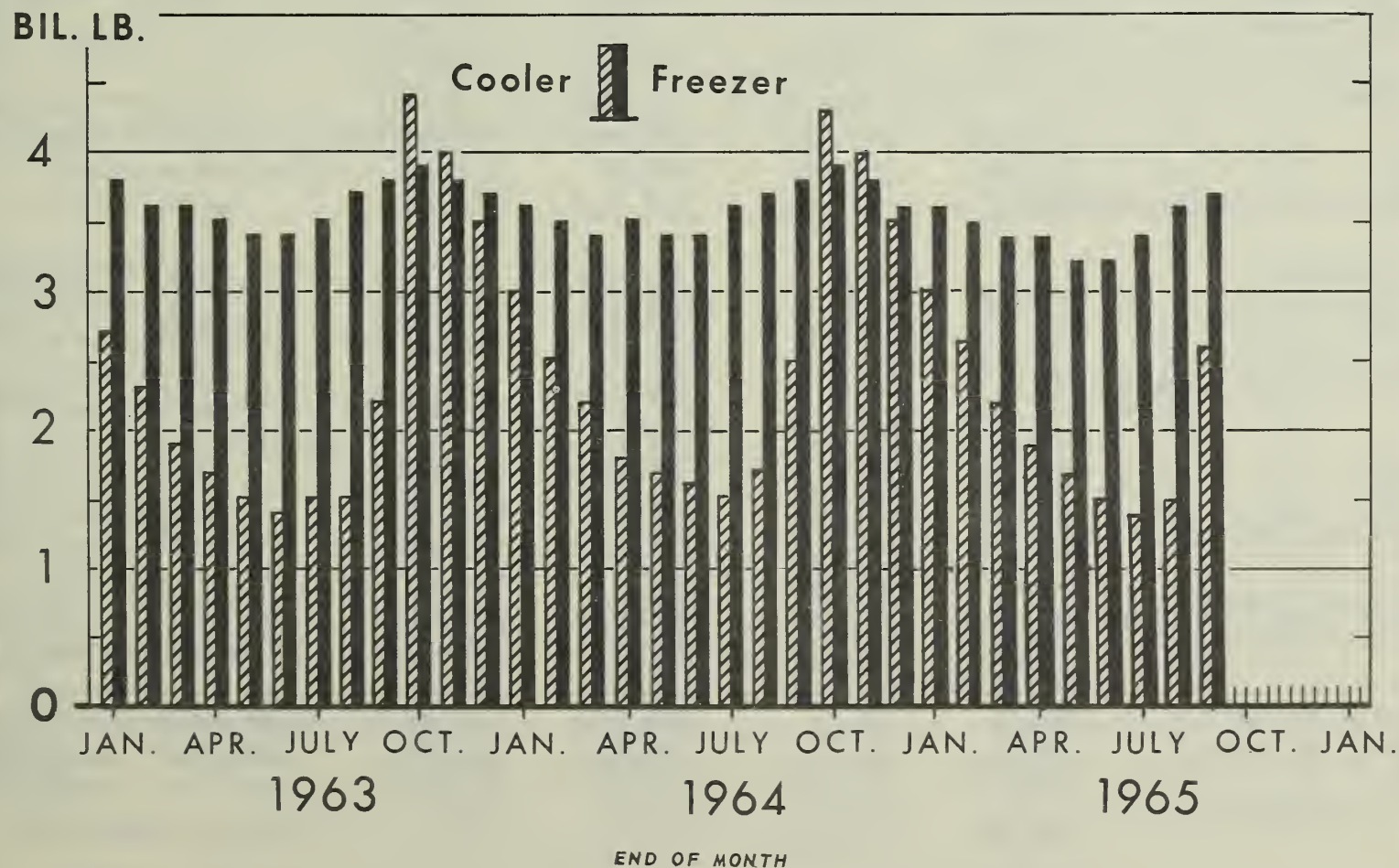


TABLE 2. -End-of-month stocks of fruits, vegetables, and nuts

Net change in stocks during September and comparisons:

Fresh apples: Increased by 22 million bushels; September 1964 increase was 17 million bushels; average September increase is 14 million bushels.

Fresh pears: Increased by 2 million boxes; September 1964 increase was 2 million boxes; average September increase is 2 million boxes.

COMMODITY	UNIT	September 1959-63 average	September 1964	August 1965	September 1965
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.
Apples, fresh:					
Regular storage.....	Bushels	<u>1/</u>	13,011	300	16,144
C. A. storage.....	do.	<u>1/</u>	4,082	71	6,321
Total.....	do.	14,056	17,093	371	22,465
Pears, fresh:					
Bartletts	Boxes, baskets, etc.	3,123	5,231	3,049	1,449
Bartletts	L.A. lugs	493	325	216	107
Other varieties	Boxes, baskets, etc.	2,297	2,012	228	3,322
Other varieties	L.A. lugs	385	277	4	312
Total.....	Boxes, baskets, etc.	6,298	7,845	3,497	5,190
Other fruits, vegetables, and nuts:					
Fresh grapes	Pounds	49,611	80,767	51,455	116,800
Other fresh fruits.....	do.	12,036	6,036	37,956	7,240
Dried and evaporated fruits...	do.	29,052	37,595	41,057	36,892
Onions	do.	14,998	9,612	800	5,785
Celery.....	do.	2,838	497	213	1,198
Other fresh vegetables	do.	19,239	11,354	12,658	14,489
Nut meats, peanuts	do.	122,193	110,359	105,697	90,166
Nut meats, other nuts	do.	33,333	38,284	67,473	55,445
Peanuts, in shell.....	do.	3,137	2,849	4,417	3,237
Other nuts, in shell.....	do.	25,243	115,722	88,954	67,620

1/ Not available.

TABLE 3. — End-of-month stocks of frozen fruits and vegetables

Net change in stocks during September and comparisons:							
<u>Frozen fruits:</u> Increased by 8 million pounds; September 1964 increase was 42 million pounds; average September increase is 14 million pounds.							
<u>Frozen vegetables:</u> Increased by 164 million pounds; September 1964 increase was 128 million pounds; average September increase is 128 million pounds.							
<u>Frozen orange juice:</u> Decreased by 8 million gallons; September 1964 decrease was 5 million gallons; average September decrease is 6 million.							
COMMODITY	September 1959-63 av.	September 1964	August 1965	September 1965	Percentage change during September		
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	5-yr. av.	1964	1965
Fruits, frozen:					Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
Apples	21,964	25,377	30,927	26,493	- 21	- 14	- 14
Apricots	14,087	20,757	25,427	23,614	- 4	- 5	- 7
Blackberries	22,800	18,683	21,694	27,228	+ 41	+ 83	+ 26
Blueberries	30,512	31,843	24,649	30,126	+ 20	+ 31	+ 22
Boysenberries	12,580	9,114	9,856	8,402	- 12	- 10	- 15
Cherries	102,812	161,079	162,165	150,681	- 6	- 5	- 7
Grapes	7,797	8,722	2,967	7,288	+114	+127	+146
Peaches	57,669	72,983	47,258	61,326	+ 41	+ 65	+ 30
Raspberries, red	29,311	29,489	34,120	31,200	- 6	- 9	- 9
Raspberries, black	5,971	4,836	10,040	9,339	- 9	- 5	- 7
Strawberries	197,130	200,242	160,105	153,599	- 4	+ 1	- 4
All other fruits	44,104	37,617	32,939	40,828	+ 18	+ 36	+ 24
Total	546,737	620,742	562,147	570,124	+ 3	+ 7	+ 1
Juices, frozen:							
Orange juice	326,822	246,552	451,528	370,437	- 14	- 17	- 18
Gallons equivalent (2) ..	33,012	24,904	45,609	37,418	- 14	- 17	- 18
Other fruit juices	146,263	157,261	171,140	135,205	- 3	- 4	- 21
Vegetables, frozen:							
Asparagus	26,793	22,294	25,151	22,852	- 8	- 8	- 9
Beans, Fordhook lima	(131,310	54,534	22,641	46,990	+ 76	+ 87	+108
Beans, baby lima	{	53,826	31,980	55,134	1/	+ 73	+ 72
Beans, snap, regular cut ..	{157,461	123,072	111,415	121,309	+ 10	+ 14	+ 9
Beans, snap, French style ..	{	53,479	51,956	55,405	1/	+ 11	+ 7
Broccoli	37,907	48,643	29,468	36,807	+ 15	+ 10	+ 25
Brussels sprouts	14,336	16,364	10,217	12,762	+ 54	+ 50	+ 25
Carrots	13,687	18,435	24,942	27,672	- 0	- 13	+ 11
Cauliflower	13,297	14,435	9,778	12,147	+ 7	+ 4	+ 24
Corn	142,965	145,195	78,433	172,031	+ 82	+ 82	+119
Mixed vegetables	15,364	18,311	18,861	17,840	- 0	- 18	- 5
Peas, green	299,771	306,050	386,597	350,039	- 5	- 3	- 9
Peas and carrots, mixed ..	11,019	10,698	10,333	9,497	- 5	- 1	- 8
Potatoes, French fried	93,600	122,759	105,046	140,836	- 2	+ 9	+ 34
Spinach	58,262	65,009	60,835	54,165	- 11	- 8	- 11
Other frozen vegetables ..	115,444	140,923	138,525	145,167	+ 9	- 1	+ 5
Total	1,131,216	1,214,027	1,116,178	1,280,653	+ 13	+ 12	+ 15

1/ Not available. 2/ 42° brix basis 9.9 pounds per gallon.

TABLE 4. --End-of-month stocks of dairy and poultry products

Net change in stocks during September and comparisons:

Cream: Decreased by 2 million pounds; September 1964 decrease was 3 million pounds; average September decrease is 3 million pounds.

Butter: Decreased by 33 million pounds; September 1964 decrease was 40 million pounds; average September decrease is 32 million pounds.

Cheese: Decreased by 29 million pounds; September 1964 decrease was 23 million pounds; average September decrease is 17 million pounds.

Shell eggs: Decreased by 98 thousand cases; September 1964 change was an increase of 13 thousand cases; average September change is a decrease of 115 thousand cases.

Frozen eggs: Decreased by 6 million pounds; September 1964 decrease was 10 million pounds; average September decrease is 12 million pounds.

Frozen poultry: Increased by 98 million pounds; September 1964 increase was 91 million pounds; average September increase is 86 million pounds.

COMMODITY	Unit	September 1959-63 av. Thou.	September 1964 Thou.	August 1965 Thou.	September 1965 Thou.
Cream, milk, and butter:					
Fluid cream	Pound	10,979	8,889	10,008	8,238
Plastic cream (75-85% butterfat).....	do.	2,022	1,061	2,335	1,767
Butter, creamery ^{1/}	do.	243,827	180,945	192,453	159,733
Condensed milk (bulk)	do.	2,979	1,074	937	2,623
Evap. and Cond. milk (case goods).....	do.	36,754	10,920	16,401	15,175
Cheese natural:					
American ^{1/}	do.	378,914	318,580	364,251	338,378
Swiss, including block	do.	13,776	11,048	10,566	9,781
All other varieties	do.	30,960	33,858	40,135	37,621
Total cheese	do.	423,650	363,486	414,952	385,780
Eggs:					
Shell	Case	329	132	423	325
Frozen eggs, total	Pound	116,518	97,616	100,245	94,248
Whites	do.	28,772	18,792	14,057	13,220
Yolks	do.	30,265	23,273	22,983	20,885
Whole or mixed	do.	52,972	53,880	61,285	58,032
Unclassified	do.	4,509	1,671	1,920	2,111
Total eggs ^{2/} (case equivalent)	Case	3,278	2,603	2,961	2,711
Poultry, frozen:					
Broilers or fryers	Pound	23,835	22,922	19,421	21,676
Roasters	do.	9,030	8,535	5,371	5,474
Hens, fowls	do.	43,333	49,492	25,797	29,155
Turkeys	do.	214,788	233,026	145,216	233,080
Ducks	do.	13,046	14,770	10,038	10,928
Unclassified	do.	32,050	37,452	30,698	34,354
Total poultry	do.	336,082	366,197	236,541	334,667

^{1/} Includes Government-owned stocks listed on page 12.

^{2/} Frozen eggs converted on the basis of 39.5 pounds to the case.

TABLE 5.—End-of-month stocks of dairy and poultry products, by States
September 30, 1965

State	Creamery butter	American cheese	Shell eggs	Frozen eggs	Frozen Poultry	
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 cases	1,000 pounds	Turkeys 1,000 pounds	Other poultry 1,000 pounds
Massachusetts	1,716	5,179	3	1,555	5,700	1,324
Other States	6,200	118	-	529	3,683	1,930
New England	7,916	5,297	3	2,084	9,382	3,254
New York	8,420	46,861	5	5,128	12,628	8,521
New Jersey	6,872	1,283	13	3,545	3,982	1,095
Pennsylvania	3,286	706	1	2,795	10,599	3,123
Middle Atlantic	18,578	48,850	19	11,468	27,209	12,739
Ohio	3,323	1,267	1	2,221	6,027	3,028
Indiana	2,300	150	-	763	2,308	528
Illinois	59,190	4,629	231	20,405	24,168	8,332
Michigan	1,393	3,202	1	1,374	11,891	1,309
Wisconsin	1,392	174,012	-	259	2,001	438
East North Central	67,598	183,260	233	25,022	46,395	13,635
Minnesota	32,411	15,513	18	2,350	25,420	2,621
Iowa	14,192	1	5	9,721	7,080	3,365
Missouri	1,667	46,374	4	13,451	12,476	3,188
Dakotas	321	50	-	-	318	35
Nebraska	1,394	37	-	7,526	2,593	7,035
Kansas	1,660	135	-	1,440	5,652	129
West North Central	51,645	62,110	27	34,497	53,539	16,373
South Atlantic	2,870	21,706	8	5,989	25,390	26,030
Kentucky	554	2,429	4	1,842	2,663	574
Tennessee	859	3,987	2	1,026	2,941	2,760
Ala. and Mississippi	101	82	-	161	2,353	2,848
East South Central	1,514	6,498	6	3,029	7,957	6,182
Arkansas and Louisiana	242	400	4	395	5,404	6,568
Oklahoma	548	126	-	171	2,138	721
Texas	1,092	214	5	5,308	6,889	3,255
West South Central	1,882	740	9	5,874	14,431	10,544
Colorado	536	23	-	251	6,757	725
Other States	474	1,893	1	178	5,141	685
Mountain	1,010	1,916	1	429	11,898	1,410
Washington	1,064	130	2	1,668	1,763	1,485
Oregon	1,119	6,685	-	182	2,651	1,140
California	4,537	1,186	17	4,006	32,464	8,795
Pacific	6,720	8,001	19	5,856	36,878	11,420
United States	159,733	338,378	325	94,248	233,080	101,587

TABLE 6.

End-of-month stocks of meats and meat products

Net change in stocks during September and comparisons:

Beef: Increased by 17 million pounds; September 1964 change was a decrease of 32 million pounds; average September change is an increase of 9 million pounds.

Pork: Decreased by 9 million pounds; September 1964 decrease was 45 million pounds; average September decrease is 29 million pounds.

Other meats: Decreased by 3 million pounds; September 1964 decrease was 12 million pounds; average September decrease is 7 million pounds.

COMMODITY	September 1959-63 av.	September 1964	August 1965	September 1965
	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds	1,000 pounds
Beef:				
Frozen	161,512	243,181	163,877	180,015
In cure and cured.....	12,316	13,776	14,712	15,465
Total	173,828	256,957	178,589	195,480
Pork, frozen:				
Picnics	5,185	5,362	3,316	3,650
Hams	28,308	32,005	12,631	19,957
Bellies	16,289	22,238	21,607	8,745
Loins	1/	7,071	6,852	4,830
Jowls	1/	6,553	3,444	2,391
Butts	1/	3,785	2,305	2,206
Spareribs	1/	8,756	6,967	6,560
Trimmings	1/	14,694	10,714	7,962
Other pork	75,479	52,483	41,653	42,886
Total	125,261	152,947	109,489	99,187
Pork in cooler:				
Dry salt bellies.....	3,697	3,371	2,779	1,715
Other dry salt pork.....	4,576	2,946	2,844	2,666
Other pork cuts.....	26,164	24,721	19,640	22,322
Total	34,437	31,038	25,263	26,703
Total pork	159,698	183,985	134,752	125,890
Other meats and meat products:				
Veal, frozen	7,732	10,083	7,872	7,841
Lamb and mutton, frozen.....	15,123	15,271	9,835	10,175
Canned meats in cooler:				
Hams	2/(58,429	43,612	43,495	42,443
Other meats	(22,415	24,034	22,115
Total all meats	414,810	532,323	398,577	403,944
Hides and pelts.....	66,248	51,879	36,949	38,400

1/ No historical data available.

2/ Includes other canned meats.

Table 7. --End-of-month stocks of frozen fishery products 1/

Species	September 1964	August 1965	September 1965
	<u>1,000 lb.</u>	<u>1,000 lb.</u>	<u>1,000 lb.</u>
Salt-water:			
Fillets and steaks:			
Blocks and slabs	22,699	29,584	40,235
Cod	7,024	6,912	5,613
Flounder	7,455	4,339	4,451
Haddock	8,808	7,432	7,349
Halibut	3,801	2,827	3,024
Ocean perch	12,789	8,212	10,139
Pollock	393	358	487
Salmon	125	209	205
Whiting	1,465	996	1,326
Other fillets and steaks	6,154	5,235	5,289
Fish sticks and portions (raw & cooked)	9,210	9,177	8,956
Round, dressed, etc.:			
Halibut	18,296	17,093	18,480
Mackeral (except Spanish)	556	855	953
Sablefish	1,985	1,390	1,468
Salmon:			
King or chinook	6,379	6,441	6,771
Silver or coho	6,757	5,127	5,295
Chum or keta	1,778	885	670
Unclassified	2,427	1,787	2,102
Smelt	1,157	943	781
Swordfish	1,587	1,274	1,680
Tuna	6,227	1,272	4,205
Whiting, headed and gutted	16,572	14,002	15,439
Other (except bait)	9,517	10,328	10,071
Fresh-water:			
Fillets and steaks	778	742	1,523
Round, dressed, etc.:			
Chubs	1,493	1,056	1,607
Trout	923	1,172	1,106
Whitefish	1,540	580	866
Other (except bait)	2,775	2,279	2,279
Bait and animal food (salt & fresh-water)	11,285	17,559	11,349
Shellfish:			
Crabs (incl. crab meat)	4,036	4,454	5,046
Lobster tails (spiny)	2,614	3,091	4,189
Oyster meats	1,270	1,174	905
Scallop meats	2,476	3,786	4,323
Shrimp:			
Raw (headless, shell-on)	22,909	21,441	20,854
All other (including breaded)	9,562	11,756	11,965
Squid	1,576	2,482	1,718
Other shellfish	2,244	2,173	2,241
Total frozen fish and shellfish	218,642	210,423	224,960
Cured fish	13,463	9,742	9,539
Total all fish and shellfish	232,105	220,165	234,499

1/ Data furnished by the Department of the Interior, Bureau of Commercial Fisheries.

TABLE 8.

-- Cold storage holdings, by geographic regions, September 30, 1965

Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.
Fruits, frozen:											
Apples	Pound	2,846	6,065	5,241	925	7,057	118	499	166	3,576	26,493
Apricots	do.	34	575	1,051	304	3	-	585	457	20,605	23,614
Blackberries	do.	168	803	1,600	902	512	356	881	144	21,862	27,228
Blueberries	do.	6,562	7,382	11,430	514	689	285	254	112	2,898	30,126
Boysenberries	do.	10	81	308	180	7	-	87	99	7,630	8,402
Cherries	do.	1,401	37,395	94,415	4,413	2,601	640	1,886	1,908	6,022	150,681
Grapes	do.	2	2,186	4,103	46	7	-	240	35	669	7,288
Peaches	do.	456	6,122	5,569	3,929	8,970	568	1,244	1,134	33,334	61,326
Red Raspberries	do.	918	2,340	2,370	2,856	525	113	365	750	20,963	31,200
Black Raspberries	do.	16	834	3,715	1,001	62	6	85	75	3,545	9,339
Strawberries	do.	2,921	13,146	19,274	16,896	5,469	2,510	7,134	4,319	81,930	153,599
Other frozen fruits	do.	2,985	5,865	9,737	4,133	959	496	995	633	15,025	40,828
Total	do.	18,319	82,794	158,813	36,099	26,861	5,092	14,255	9,832	218,059	570,124
Juices, frozen:											
Orange juice	do.	909	6,813	7,230	9,152	317,582	712	1,411	1,105	25,523	370,437
Other fruit juices and purees	do.	2,026	26,472	17,053	5,492	50,134	1,022	4,019	795	28,192	135,205
Vegetables, frozen:											
Asparagus	do.	433	5,813	1,212	2,797	3,633	124	89	317	8,434	22,852
Beans, Fordhook lima	do.	641	7,681	2,585	6,776	1,687	432	137	506	26,545	46,990
Beans, baby lima	do.	540	5,615	3,525	4,148	11,977	1,994	238	516	26,581	55,134
Beans, snap, regular cut	do.	1,106	32,847	6,074	7,336	8,369	8,012	1,708	776	55,081	121,309
Beans, snap, French style	do.	910	25,834	2,193	3,189	3,643	3,326	1,674	362	14,274	55,405
Broccoli	do.	782	7,641	1,908	6,971	1,563	769	563	390	16,220	36,807
Brussels sprouts	do.	267	1,822	938	2,021	690	282	255	330	6,157	12,762
Carrots	do.	197	2,999	724	2,620	584	166	354	97	19,931	27,672
Cauliflower	do.	357	1,177	867	2,042	439	186	469	239	6,371	12,147
Corn	do.	1,374	21,429	14,807	42,249	7,517	1,061	748	4,125	78,721	172,031
Mixed vegetables	do.	456	3,518	1,535	3,903	1,390	332	207	468	6,031	17,840
Peas, green	do.	12,034	28,609	27,608	51,674	9,512	1,217	2,017	6,079	211,289	950,039
Peas and carrots, mixed	do.	170	1,565	684	1,982	325	186	95	177	4,313	9,497
Potatoes, french fried	do.	13,345	9,115	7,782	17,875	5,751	2,718	2,160	57,211	24,879	140,836
Spinach	do.	770	11,139	2,692	6,533	2,954	2,477	1,092	2,394	24,114	54,165
Other frozen vegetables	do.	2,664	16,560	7,638	5,816	28,916	36,206	20,473	6,674	20,220	145,167
Total	do.	36,046	183,364	82,772	167,932	88,950	59,488	32,279	80,661	549,161	1,280,653
Poultry, frozen:											
Broilers or fryers	do.	341	2,072	728	1,807	8,471	1,677	4,369	266	1,945	21,676
Roasters	do.	1,336	773	383	116	680	269	368	117	1,432	5,474
Hens, fowls	do.	634	2,207	2,729	5,662	10,692	2,076	2,914	124	2,117	29,155
Turkeys	do.	9,383	27,209	46,395	53,539	25,390	7,957	14,431	11,898	36,878	233,080
Ducks	do.	478	4,763	3,302	483	705	136	126	10	925	10,928
Unclassified	do.	465	2,924	6,493	8,305	5,482	2,024	2,767	893	5,001	34,354
Total	do.	12,637	39,948	60,030	69,912	51,420	14,139	24,975	13,308	48,298	334,667

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TABLE 8. -- Cold storage holdings, by geographic regions, September 30, 1965 -- Continued

Commodity	Unit	New England	Middle Atlantic	East North Central	West North Central	South Atlantic	East South Central	West South Central	Mountain	Pacific	Total
		THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.	THOU.
Fruits, vegetables, and nuts:											
Fresh grapes	Pound	-	27	321	-	17	20	9	-	116,406	116,800
Other fresh fruits	do.	38	2,091	1,866	3	152	5	38	-	3,047	7,240
Dried and evaporated fruits	do.	949	15,196	9,182	2,065	958	1,047	1,889	93	5,513	36,892
Onions	do.	-	26	92	2	239	-	456	-	4,970	5,785
Celery	do.	1	1,155	31	-	10	-	1	-	-	1,198
Other fresh vegetables	do.	32	6,211	1,948	458	231	1,019	1,100	161	3,329	14,489
Peanut meats	do.	344	317	2,337	582	68,543	7,195	10,605	-	243	90,166
Other nut meats	do.	1,134	7,605	9,352	3,824	6,401	3,688	5,820	459	17,162	55,445
Peanuts, in shell	do.	10	-	486	7	2,565	7	86	-	76	3,237
Other nuts, in shell	do.	877	3,875	4,834	724	14,489	11,065	28,388	4	3,364	67,620
Fresh apples	Bushel	699	5,209	901	96	2,024	32	1	3	13,500	22,465
Fresh pears	Boxes	-	171	136	2	-	-	-	-	4,881	5,190
Dairy products and eggs:											
Cream (not including plastic)	Pound	32	5,694	312	162	1,442	27	24	82	463	8,238
Cream, plastic	do.	419	214	-	195	219	74	159	215	272	1,767
Butter, creamery	do.	7,916	18,578	67,598	51,645	2,870	1,514	1,882	1,010	6,720	159,733
Cheese, Natural, American	do.	5,297	48,850	183,260	62,110	21,706	6,498	740	1,916	8,001	338,378
Cheese, Swiss	do.	6	385	6,626	1,861	12	1	631	218	41	9,781
Cheese, Other natural varieties	do.	121	3,497	32,594	739	77	43	274	3	273	37,621
Eggs, shell	Case	3	19	233	27	8	6	9	1	19	325
Eggs, frozen	Pound	2,084	11,468	25,022	34,497	5,989	3,029	5,874	429	5,856	94,248
Meats, meat products, and fish:											
Beef, frozen	do.	8,544	24,093	43,535	27,565	17,344	6,741	14,102	3,944	34,147	180,015
Beef, in cure or cured	do.	63	2,446	4,010	3,262	971	940	693	1,246	1,834	15,465
Pork, frozen:											
Picnics	do.	13	165	1,470	906	182	191	273	46	404	3,650
Hams	do.	156	2,880	5,029	7,133	935	998	632	201	1,993	19,957
Bellies	do.	65	384	3,636	2,326	564	369	388	84	929	8,745
Loins	do.	200	485	760	1,612	867	131	196	78	501	4,830
Jowls	do.	18	91	472	1,055	146	9	145	55	400	2,391
Butts	do.	41	172	591	593	305	81	95	117	211	2,206
Spareribs	do.	32	286	1,592	1,869	721	102	164	153	1,641	6,560
Trimings	do.	211	783	1,871	2,231	416	347	816	236	1,051	7,962
Other frozen pork cuts	do.	450	3,431	14,986	14,030	1,710	1,535	3,351	1,055	2,338	42,886
Pork, in cure or cured:											
Dry salt bellies	do.	-	37	119	1,245	156	68	67	2	21	1,715
Other dry salt pork	do.	-	128	752	1,565	129	21	45	-	26	2,666
Other pork cuts	do.	45	2,130	5,571	8,888	2,554	1,066	746	297	1,025	22,322
Veal, frozen	do.	543	1,783	769	859	963	787	580	277	1,280	7,841
Lamb and mutton, frozen	do.	755	2,118	1,483	1,453	604	372	1,315	219	1,856	10,175
Canned hams	do.	1,065	10,360	10,206	13,647	518	223	944	122	5,358	42,443
Other canned meats	do.	172	827	7,907	12,110	129	71	87	118	694	22,115
Hides and pelts	do.	352	710	9,693	20,800	1,490	628	3,542	446	739	38,400
Fish, frozen	do.	82,097	28,130	18,124	13,780	11,202	3,529	14,118	2,300	51,680	224,960

(1) Includes fish in Alaska.

Table 9. --Commodities stored in public general cold storage warehouses,
August 31, 1965

Cooler Commodities	Net weight	Freezer Commodities	Net weight
	<u>1,000 pounds</u>		<u>1,000 pounds</u>
Apples	16,032	Cream	10,137
Pears	95,250	Butter, creamery . . .	183,642
Other fresh fruits . . .	36,326	Eggs	89,788
Fresh vegetables	12,069	Poultry	195,529
Dried & evap. fruits . .	38,307		
Nutmeats	116,667	Fruits	410,178
Nuts in shell	69,047	Juices	208,199
Cheese	208,680		
Other dairy Products . .	17,171	Vegetables	661,337
Shell eggs	19,282		
		Beef	144,415
Beef	1,209	Pork	75,049
Pork	516	Other meats	15,048
Canned meats	40,720		
Fish	8,676	Fish	166,717
		Miscellaneous	213,189
Miscellaneous	277,044		
Total	956,996	Total	2,373,228

Table 10. --End-of-month stocks of certain commodities in storage owned
by the Government 1/

Commodity	Unit	September 1959-63 average	September 1964	August 1965	September 1965 <u>2/</u>
		<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>	<u>Thou.</u>
Butter, creamery . . <u>3/</u> .	lb.	196,322	137,324	140,758	114,151
American Cheddar cheese.	lb.	45,549	18,456	7,502	14,006
Pork	lb.	2,300	1,589	1,275	1,090
Beef	lb.	2,386	38,736	6,501	4,008

1/ Government holdings are included in the tables of total holdings elsewhere in the report and consist of reported stocks held by USDA, the Armed Services, and other Government agencies. In addition to stocks reported above, Armed Services hold some stocks in space owned and operated by them on which figures are not available.

2/ Based on actual reports. Estimates on late reports are not included. Current figures will be revised next month.

3/ Does not include butter oil, ghee, and canned butter.

TABLE 11.-- End-of-month space and occupancy in public general warehouses in selected cities

City (1)	Net piling space reported (2)		Percentage of net piling space occupied							
			August 1964		September 1964		August 1965		September 1965 2/	
	Cooler 1,000 cu. ft.	Freezer 1,000 cu. ft.	Cooler Pct.	Freezer Pct.	Cooler Pct.	Freezer Pct.	Cooler Pct.	Freezer Pct.	Cooler Pct.	Freezer Pct.
New England:										
Boston	1,697	6,207	51	87	48	85	45	75	41	88
Middle Atlantic:										
New York	4,263	6,915	76	75	72	75	72	70	71	72
Jersey City.	4,776	8,524	43	70	42	60	51	66	48	67
Buffalo.	1,049	1,632	21	64	23	65	28	64	35	75
Rochester.	8,090	6,998	34	64	44	68	22	58	26	65
Philadelphia	1,275	7,151	80	72	60	74	81	71	75	69
Pittsburgh	1,305	3,268	71	58	77	55	60	55	45	61
E. N. Central:										
Cleveland.	3/	3/	58	74	55	76	48	59	3/	3/
Cincinnati	484	2,084	90	85	91	82	92	83	93	87
Chicago.	12,394	19,685	65	75	59	63	77	71	69	70
Detroit.	2,605	4,859	78	80	76	78	75	74	73	81
Milwaukee.	3/	3/	59	83	48	84	49	89	3/	3/
W. N. Central:										
Minn. St. Paul	1,207	3,784	85	93	82	89	82	71	69	75
St. Louis.	3,087	4,053	44	63	42	55	22	53	20	55
Kansas City	6,268	24,166	73	77	67	78	71	76	70	78
South Atlantic:										
Baltimore & D.C.	775	4,559	73	55	71	61	62	51	55	60
Richmond	3/	3/	93	86	90	95	81	70	3/	3/
Norfolk	3/	3/	54	66	56	41	78	56	3/	3/
E. S. Central:										
Nashville.	958	2,574	96	88	94	87	95	84	89	87
Memphis.	710	2,961	93	82	93	53	40	59	34	63
W. S. Central:										
New Orleans.	3/	3/	44	72	44	72	78	72	3/	3/
Dallas	4,084	4,383	34	69	30	64	23	56	24	49
Ft. Worth.	809	1,383	72	70	69	76	31	78	32	87
Pacific:										
Seattle.	3/	3/	45	47	60	61	45	55	3/	3/
Portland	337	3,897	43	68	44	73	63	53	91	60
Los Angeles.	3,103	10,305	82	80	84	80	82	53	81	64
San Francisco.	1,119	3,051	67	75	56	75	58	76	53	77
San Jose	2,894	3,358	97	75	75	78	98	68	57	58
Modesto	74	3,430	73	93	59	98	80	79	86	84

1/ Space shown includes public warehouses located in the metropolitan area.

2/ Space reported to USDA and temperatures held on September 30, 1965.

3/ Insufficient returns received from this city.

TABLE 12.-- End-of-month space and occupancy in public general refrigerated warehouses

State or geographic region	Net piling space reported (1)		Percentage of net piling space occupied							
	September 1965		September 1959-63 av.		September 1964		August 1965		September 1965 2/	
	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer	Cooler	Freezer
	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.	Pct.
Maine, N. H. and Vt.	243	3,536	33	70	24	61	27	44	21	45
Massachusetts	2,795	8,789	67	81	54	83	54	72	52	82
R. I. and Connecticut . . .	617	1,515	54	79	44	78	61	76	55	78
New England	3,655	13,840	63	78	51	78	54	66	50	72
New York	16,586	20,861	49	78	53	72	36	66	43	70
New Jersey	5,082	9,936	48	74	43	62	52	68	49	69
Pennsylvania	3,579	11,938	58	76	58	71	60	64	55	65
Middle Atlantic	25,247	42,735	50	77	52	69	43	66	46	68
Ohio	3,680	6,308	55	85	64	78	65	70	64	73
Indiana	611	2,025	61	72	69	75	62	60	66	73
Illinois	15,409	20,743	60	78	52	62	63	69	57	69
Michigan	4,121	9,310	66	81	71	81	53	74	56	78
Wisconsin	8,427	2,458	70	83	64	84	68	84	64	89
East North Central	32,248	40,844	62	81	59	71	63	71	60	73
Minnesota	1,589	9,528	72	86	68	77	70	53	58	62
Iowa	624	6,065	44	69	56	60	48	54	46	49
Missouri	3,620	7,695	63	72	56	63	64	61	65	63
Dakotas and Nebraska . . .	830	3,848	52	73	68	78	69	60	64	64
Kansas	6,623	24,805	45	82	65	77	71	75	70	77
West North Central	13,286	51,941	52	78	63	73	68	65	66	68
Delaware, Maryland & D.C.	775	5,617	65	72	70	58	60	49	55	59
Virginia and West Va. . . .	3,907	1,969	45	73	45	68	47	66	49	63
North and South Carolina . .	462	1,529	63	81	82	85	69	50	77	89
Georgia	7,906	7,107	65	80	52	70	56	64	56	63
Florida	1,393	16,267	67	57	41	41	58	54	62	50
South Atlantic	14,443	32,489	56	66	51	55	54	60	55	57
Kentucky	4/	4/	58	82	25	82	53	68	4/	4/
Tennessee	1,869	9,351	74	82	85	70	72	67	64	69
Alabama and Mississippi . .	1,782	2,401	73	87	79	88	63	82	68	82
East South Central	4,144	13,123	70	83	74	75	67	70	64	71
Arkansas	109	3,303	44	80	37	85	43	49	41	53
Louisiana	4/	4/	82	68	44	73	77	68	4/	4/
Oklahoma	435	489	55	75	42	80	50	59	40	62
Texas	7,142	9,374	50	65	45	67	37	65	37	61
West South Central	8,768	14,837	54	68	45	71	43	62	42	61
Mountain	977	10,235	53	71	49	54	54	44	52	47
Washington	620	15,823	38	79	43	65	27	66	28	67
Oregon	2,785	12,424	46	78	78	60	13	50	67	53
California	14,667	29,504	57	78	63	80	66	62	49	66
Pacific	18,072	57,751	55	78	65	71	56	60	51	63
United States (3)	120,840	277,795	56	76	57	69	56	63	54	66

1/ Space reported to USDA and temperatures held on September 30, 1965.

2/ Preliminary.

3/ Weighted average occupancy.

4/ Insufficient returns received.

Table 13 --Usable refrigerated piling space, United States, October 1, 1963

State and region	Type of warehouse			
	Public general		Other	
	0° F. or below	Above 0° F. to 50° F.	0° F. or below	Above 0° F. to 50° F.
	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.	1,000 cu. ft.
Maine.....	3,134	135	1,999	2,266
New Hampshire.....	1/	1/	1/	1/
Vermont.....	1/	1/	1/	1/
Massachusetts.....	13,200	2,632	1,685	5,677
Rhode Island.....	1/	1/	1/	1/
Connecticut.....	1,054	418	11	2,413
New England.....	18,831	3,510	3,819	13,406
New York.....	24,120	16,606	6,268	27,019
New Jersey.....	12,871	5,421	1,793	5,245
Pennsylvania.....	12,297	4,132	2,763	12,901
Middle Atlantic.....	49,288	26,159	10,824	45,165
Ohio.....	9,633	4,235	500	4,542
Indiana.....	2,371	469	966	1,894
Illinois.....	21,650	18,757	1,305	2,464
Michigan.....	9,747	4,737	6,924	17,546
Wisconsin.....	3,596	10,567	1,879	8,352
East North Central....	46,997	38,765	11,574	34,798
Minnesota.....	8,113	1,047	5,771	2,283
Iowa.....	4,799	784	3,306	2,948
Missouri.....	9,094	4,485	1,126	2,359
North & South Dakota....	354	44	380	2,034
Nebraska.....	4,294	1,035	1,053	1,714
Kansas.....	18,410	5,991	795	1,929
West North Central....	45,064	13,386	12,431	13,267
Delaware.....	735	135	1,567	64
Maryland & D. C.....	5,658	694	797	1,990
Virginia.....	2,769	5,951	2,628	20,601
West Virginia.....	513	1,142	214	4,942
North Carolina.....	1,108	798	582	831
South Carolina.....	1,023	118	161	134
Georgia.....	7,451	8,171	1,471	1,263
Florida.....	19,572	1,158	24,905	2,978
South Atlantic.....	38,829	18,167	32,325	32,803
Kentucky.....	1,556	797	9	102
Tennessee.....	8,337	1,774	543	1,461
Alabama.....	2,473	1,596	117	98
Mississippi.....	484	251	20	406
East South Central....	12,850	4,418	689	2,067
Arkansas.....	3,327	244	117	228
Louisiana.....	2,798	1,262	501	57
Oklahoma.....	1,562	607	559	423
Texas.....	12,988	7,979	1,255	1,953
West South Central....	20,675	10,092	2,432	2,661
Montana.....	113	75	43	117
Idaho & Wyoming.....	4,645	304	6,029	214
Colorado.....	3,008	674	349	309
New Mexico.....	1/	1/	1/	1/
Arizona.....	1/	1/	1/	1/
Utah & Nevada.....	2,135	350	61	188
Mountain.....	10,756	1,660	6,588	1,015
Washington.....	16,353	1,864	7,430	87,408
Oregon.....	12,346	2,276	10,744	13,113
California.....	38,258	8,890	18,790	29,548
Pacific.....	66,957	13,030	36,964	130,069
United States.....	310,247	129,187	117,646	275,251

1/ Not shown to avoid disclosure of individual plant reports.

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